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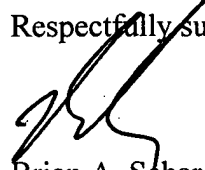
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Enclosed is a Certificate of Correction Form for the above-referenced patent application. The word "everything" in claim 1 should be the word "everting", as set forth in the Amendment After Final of August 5, 2004. The error is not believed to be the fault of the inventors or the assignee, and thus no fee is due for consideration of this request. If any fee is due, please charge that fee to Assignee's Deposit Account 502108. Please call the undersigned if you have any questions. Thank you.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In claim 1, at column 14, line 47, "everything" should read --everting--.

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